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FM AMEMBASSY PRAGUE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4148

INFO AMEMBASSY BELGRADE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L PRAGUE 0747

E. O. 11652: XGDS-4

TAGS: PFOR, AL, US

SUBJECT: ALBANIAN REACTION TO RUSH SPEECH

1. TIME- LIFE EASTERN EUROPE CORRESPONDENT STROBE TALBOTT TELLS US THAT JUST BEFORE LEAVING BELGRADE LAST WEEK HE SAW ALBANIAN AMBASSADOR, WHO " AS USUAL " TURNED HIM DOWN ON VISA.

2. TALBOTT SAYS THAT ALBANIAN AMBASSADOR STRONGLY CRITICIZED DEPUTY SECRETARY RUSH' S STATEMENT ON ALBANIA IN APRIL 4 ANNAPOLIS SPEECH, SAYING THAT IF AMERICANS WANTED RELATIONS WITH ALBANIA THAT WAS NOT WAY TO DO IT. ALBANIAN AMBASSADOR REPORTEDLY ADDED THAT IT WAS UP TO AMERICANS TO TAKE ANY INITIATIVE.
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